

**AMENDMENTS TO THE SPECIFICATION**

Please replace the paragraph at page 9, lines 15-20 with the following amended paragraph:

In Figure 3, handle 106 and handle 104 (not shown) are aligned so that carrying strap 215312 can be inserted through them, and the multi-sectional novelty device seat cushion 100 can be conveniently carried as one unit. Since handle 104 and handle 106 are aligned multi-sectional novelty device seat cushion 100 can also be carried by a user by inserting their hand through both handles at once, and carrying the multi-sectional novelty device seat cushion 100 like a briefcase.